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SUBJECT:PRESIDENT'S LETTER TO PRIME MINISTER BANDARANAIKE

REF: STATE 86309

1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING TEXT OF PRESIDENT CARTER'S
LETTER TO PRIME MINISTER BANDARANAIKE RESPONDING TO PM'S
LETTER OF APRIL 11 CONCERNING APRIL 29 SRI LANKA
CONSORTIUM MEETING (REFTEL).

2. QUOTE: DEAR MADAME PRIME MINISTER:
THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF APRIL 11. I AM PLEASED TO
HEAR OF SRI LANKA'S ACHIEVEMENTS IN PROMOTING ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT AND GREATER WELL-BEING FOR ALL OF ITS CITIZENS
WHILE RESPECTING DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS. THE UNITED
STATES IS HAPPY TO HAVE PLAYED A PART IN MAKING THESE
GAINS POSSIBLE.

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3. QUOTE:WE REALIZE THE TASKS THAT LIE AHEAD FOR SRI
LANKA AND HOPE TO OFFER AS MUCH HELP AS OUR RESOURCES
WILL PERMIT AT THE WASHINGTON MEETING. WE HAVE RECENTLY
SENT RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE CONGRESS ON OUR OVERALL
ASSISTANCE PROGRAM THAT ARE IN LINE WITH OUR TRADITIONAL
SUBSTANTIAL LEVELS OF SUPPORT. THESE WILL REQUIRE FURTHER
CONSIDERATION BY THE CONGRESS, BUT I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE

UNITED STATES WILL CONTINUE ITS SUPPORT IN THE SPIRIT
OF FRIENDSHIP AND MUTUAL RESPECT BETWEEN OUR TWO

COUNTRIES. SINCERELY, (SIGNED) JIMMY CARTER UNQUOTE.

4. SIGNED ORIGINAL WILL FOLLOW BY POUCH.

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